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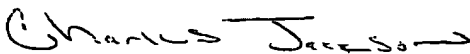
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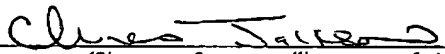
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Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, mailed March 18, 2002, setting a two-month term for reply. Enclosed herewith is a substitute specification. The Patent Office is respectfully reminded that the parent of this application has issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,368,816, such that the Patent Office has an electronic version of the application. As the deadline for reply fell on Saturday, May 18, 2002, and this reply is being filed on the next business day, i.e. Monday, May 20, 2002, it is believed that no fees are necessary. However, the Commissioner is

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Attention: Mrs. E.M. Ivey

Sir:

This paper is being filed further to the October 22, 2002 telephone conversation with Mrs. E.M. Ivey, for which Mrs. Ivey is thanked for the courtesies extended therein. Applicants have been advised that there is no record of the Response to Notice to File Missing Parts mailed by express mail on May 20, 2002 having been received by the Patent Office.

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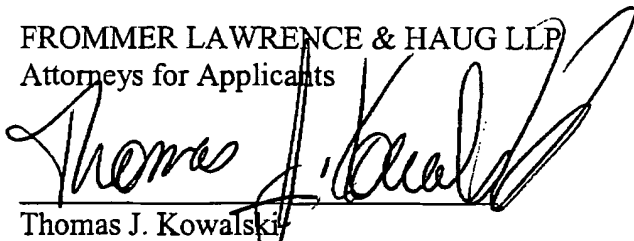
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Applicants hereby request acceptance of the previously filed Response, and an early and favorable examination on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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